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Invention: X/Y Alignment Vernier Formed on a Substrate.

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Sir:

This communication responds to an Office Action dated May 7, 2004 in the above identified patent application. Please make amendments, if any, in the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.